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WASHINGTON, D. C.,

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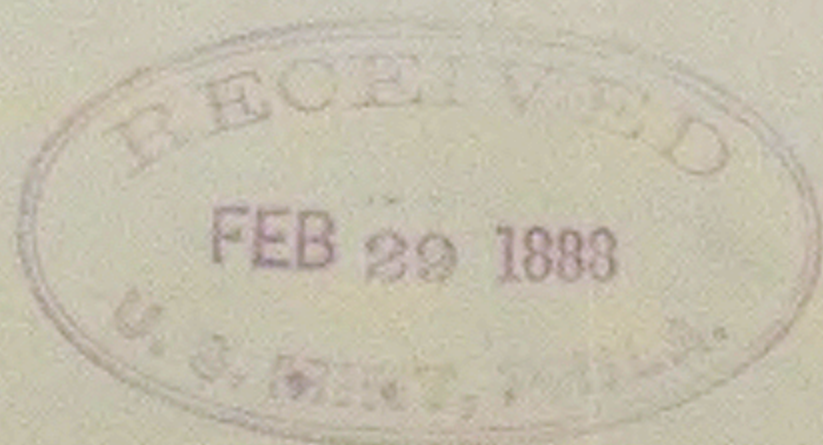
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Yours truly
J. A. Mitchell

Hon. Oliver W. S. J.



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Yours Truly,
Jas. P. Kimball

Hon. Daniel M. Fox